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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD Morning Meeting of 9 January 1969 25X1 Godfrey drew attention to a telegram from Ambassador Sullivan, who claims that the enemy truck count in Laos has now virtually reached the level which existed in the pre-Tet offensive period. Devlin will be sending in a situation report on this matter today. 25X1 D/ONE reported that the Iran Estimate is out for telephonic concurrence today. D/ONE advised that a draft of the pacification Estimate has been completed by the Board and is being circulated today. He asked whether Walt Rostow should receive a copy of the draft before USIB meets on the Estimate, and the Director concurred in the DDCI's suggestion that Rostow be sent a copy after the representatives meeting.

DD/S reported that Pan American inquired whether Air America would be interested in a six-month charter contract with Afghan Airlines. The offer was turned down when it was discovered that one of the routes included in the package would be Kabul-Moscow.

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Carver advised that the briefing session with William Rogers and Elliot Richardson went well. Carver noted that spent a productive activeduty tour with CINCPAC and that CINCPAC was sufficiently enthusiastic to request that in the future other CIA officers also spend their activeduty tours with CINCPAC. advised that he had an amenable discussion with Senator Mundt yesterday and that the Senator appreciated our evaluation of a proposal made by one of his constituents. 25X1 DD/S&T reported that he and [had a most productive two-hour meeting yesterday with Dr. DuBridge, who is interested in follow-up briefings in greater detail on various matters upon his arrival in Washington. DD/S&T noted that the new, simplified clearance/secrecy agreement process is a great improvement over previous procedures. 25X

*The Director briefed on his meeting yesterday evening with Henry Kissinger and indicated that Kissinger's inclination is to have the problem of funding the Radios presented to the President at an early point. The Director asked the DD/P to follow through and to ensure that our ducks are in line on the Radios.

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Goodwin initiated an inconclusive discussion on the issue of how to respond to a request from the United States Student Press Association to provide information on CIA to its annual conference of college editors.

L. K. White

*Extracted and sent to action officer